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Application No.: 09/900,706-Conf. #3958 First Named Applicant: D. G. Grant  
 Examiner: A. J. Fischer Art Unit: 3627 Status of Application: FILED CASE

**Tentative Participants:**

(1) Examiner Fischer (2) David J. Powsner  
 (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: Beginning of April Proposed Time: At the Examiner's Convenience (AM/PM)

**Type of Interview Requested:**

(1)  Telephonic (2)  Personal (3)  Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated:  YES  NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Issues To Be Discussed**

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
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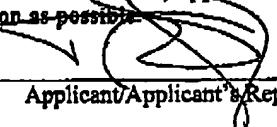
**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

Proposed amendments to the claims.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_  
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This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP §713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.



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